



**MEDIA ALERT**

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**THE QUEEN MARY TOURS SET TO REOPEN APRIL 1**

Tour tickets will go on sale at 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, March 28

Guest stateroom reservations available now to book for stay dates starting May 12

The Queen Mary is set to resume limited tour sales for the first time since the onset of the COVID-19 pandemic. Tours available for purchase will include Glory Days Historical Tour, Steam & Steel Tour, and Haunted Encounters Tour with the first tours set to embark on Saturday, April 1, 2023.

"We're very excited to announce the reopening of the Queen Mary tours," said Steve Caloca, Managing Director of The Queen Mary. "With expert guides to lead the way, these tours provide our guests with a unique perspective of The Queen Mary and allow visitors to discover the fascinating stories that have made her an icon of the seas. From her majestic construction to her harrowing wartime service and beyond, the Queen Mary has lived a life of adventure, romance and intrigue. This is just one of the things we plan on unveiling as we welcome back our guests aboard."

"It is so exciting to finally welcome visitors back onboard this historic landmark," said Mayor Rex Richardson. "We have worked tirelessly to protect the ship's safety, preserve its rich history and bring it back to life. These tours are just the beginning of a larger phased reopening plan and we look forward to sharing more details of the ship in the coming months."

"The Queen Mary is beloved by so many – the young and the young at heart – and it is an honor to finally welcome friends, family and community from near and far back onboard," said First District Councilwoman Mary Zendejas. "I look forward to participating in one of these tours myself and I hope to see you there!"

Tour tickets go on sale at 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, March 28. Link to purchase tickets can be found [here](#). Questions about ticket purchases from the public can be directed to [ticketing@queenmary.com](mailto:ticketing@queenmary.com).

**Public website to book tours:** [The Queen Mary - Attractions \(fareharbor.com\)](https://fareharbor.com)

**Tour availability:** Tours are available daily from 11 a.m. – 6 p.m. Schedule of each specific tour can be found at the website.

**Where:** The Queen Mary – 1126 Queens Highway, Long Beach, CA 90802 (media parking available)

As we prepare for the grand reopening, we're happy to share, guests can start planning their stay at The Queen Mary online today. The Queen Mary will open the guest staterooms for reservation stay dates beginning May 12, and reservations can be booked at <https://queenmary.com/hotel/rooms/>

As reopening plans continue, updates and member-exclusive opportunities will be shared with members of the Queen Mary Membership Program. Staff are actively working to further enhance the membership program, including implementing additional membership tiers beyond the existing Tourist Class Membership. Details will be announced once finalized. More information is available on the Long Beach Heritage website at <https://lbheritage.org/queen-mary>.

The City of Long Beach resumed full control of the Queen Mary in June 2021 for the first time in over 40 years. Since then, the City has worked diligently to address the extensive critical repairs and other refurbishments needed to preserve the structural safety and historic integrity of the ship, required in order to reopen to the public and bring visitors back onboard. For more information about the critical repairs conducted, visit the [City's Queen Mary Updates webpage](#).

**About The Queen Mary:**

Located in the Port of Long Beach, the Queen Mary features a rich maritime history, authentic Art Deco décor, and stunning views of the Pacific Ocean and Long Beach city skyline. On her maiden voyage in 1936 she was considered the grandest ocean liner ever built, now the Queen Mary has been part of the Long Beach shoreline since December 9, 1967. History buffs and visitors of all ages can explore the ship's museum, tours, and exhibits.

The Queen Mary is located at 1126 Queens Highway in Long Beach. For more information or for reservations, see <https://queenmary.com/>.